



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 99,134-E)

In the Application of:

Jun Yuan et al.

U.S Application No.: 09/914,957

Filed: January 22, 2002

For: Aryl Fused 2,4-Disubstituted Pyridines:  
NK3 Receptor Ligands

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) Examiner: E. Huang  
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) Group Art: 1625  
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) Confirmation No. 6627  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- a. Petition for Three Month Extension of Time;
- b. Response to the Office Action Mailed July 6, 2004; and
- c. Return Receipt Postcard.


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